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ABSTRACT

Prior to the 1970s, research about women was largely limited to the work of individual scholars working in isolation within their own disciplines. Women's studies programs first appeared on campus in 1969, and scholarly research about women began a period of unprecedented growth. Organized centers for research about women also came into being for the first time during the 1970s. Today there are nearly 500 women's studies programs on campuses throughout the United States, most of them campus based but others free-standing. Collectively, they provide the institutional resources for research that supplement the efforts of individual scholars and make possible the development of large scale and interdisciplinary research programs. This listing of the fellowships, affiliated scholar programs, grants, and internships sponsored by Member Centers of the National Council for Research on Women includes: address, phone, contact person, and description of each opportunity. (BZ)

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American Council on Education
Office of Women in Higher Education
One Dupont Circle
Washington, DC 20036-1193
Director: Donna Shavlik
202/939-9390

A.C.E.'s Office of Women in Higher Education sponsors internships for undergraduates and graduate students during the academic year and the summer. Special arrangements can also be made for the January term. A student working in the office would be in an excellent position to learn and practice organizational skills, interact with area feminists, and be exposed to administrators in colleges and universities throughout the country. Possible tasks include: assisting in analysis of data related to the National Identification Program; drafting letters and memoranda, with directions; handling special projects; assisting with arrangements and preparations for conferences and meetings; assisting with student leadership projects. No stipend is available except for daily travel expenses and costs related to the position.

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University of Arizona
Southwest Institute for Research on Women
Modern Languages 269
Tucson, Arizona 85721
Director: Myra Dinnerstein
602/621-7338

SIROW offers Residency/Affiliated Scholar programs that provide affiliation for research associates developing proposals. The Institute lends technical assistance and support in the writing of the proposal. If the proposal receives funding, the research associate joins the SIROW staff as part of the grant.

SIROW also sponsors a Visiting Scholar program that provides researchers with clerical assistance, library privileges, participation in Women's Studies Colloquium series and office space on occasion.

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Association of American Colleges
Project on the Status and Education of Women
1818 R Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20009
Director: Bernice Sandler
202/387-1300

The Project on the Status and Education of Women sponsors an internship program for undergraduates, graduates, and law students during the spring and summer semesters. Preference will be given to applicants with strong research and writing skills who have completed their junior year and have displayed an interest in governmental or institutional policy regarding women in higher education. Internship activities include research and writing for PSEW publications, meeting with federal officials and representatives of women's organizations, and a limited amount of clerical/support work. Project internships are unsalaried positions. PSEW can provide a small reimbursement for weekly living expenses.

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Brown University
Pembroke Center for Teaching and Research on Women
Box 1958
Providence, Rhode Island 02912
Acting Director: Joan W. Scott
401/863-2643

The Pembroke Center for Teaching and Research on Women offers post-doctoral fellowships in residence to scholars in the humanities or social sciences who do not presently hold a tenured position in an American college or university. Fellows will participate in a selected research project through a weekly seminar and individual research. For 1986-87, the focus of the current project on Cultural Constructions of Gender will be on "Gender in Popular Culture and Popular Religions". Applications are due in mid-December of each year.

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Business and Professional Women's Foundation
2012 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036
Director: Margaret Siegel
202/293-1200

The Business and Professional Women's Foundation offers the following scholarships, loans, and research grants in an effort to improve the economic status of working women through their integration into all occupations and levels of the work force:

(1) Scholarship Programs

(a) Career Advancement Scholarships and the Clairol Loving Care Scholarships are awarded for full-time or part-time programs of study. They may cover academic, vocational, or paraprofessional courses. (b) New York Life Foundation Scholarships for Women in the Health Professions are awarded for education in the health-care field. For all programs, applicants must be women 25 years of age or older with demonstrated financial need, planning to graduate within 24 months. Scholarships range from $200 to $1,000 for one year, with the average award at $750. Funds can be used for tuition and education-related expenses, such as child care or transportation. Deadlines for applications are April 15 and September 15.

(2) Loan Fund Programs

The BPW/Sears-Roebuck Loan Fund for Women in Graduate Business and the BPW Loan Fund for Women in Engineering Studies encourage women to enroll in graduate business and engineering programs, and seek to increase the pool of women trained for management, executive and professional engineering positions. Study may be full or part-time, but the applicant must carry at least six semester hours or the equivalent during each semester for which a loan is requested. Candidates must be United States citizens, be accepted at an accredited institution, and demonstrate financial need. Loans from $500 to $2,500 are made for an academic year. Deadline for application is May 1.

(3) Research Grants

The Lena Lake Forrest Fellowship and BPW Foundation Research Grants support contemporary and historical research on economic issues of importance to today's working women. Research priorities are: Changing employment patterns; race, gender, and class; women and organizations; and work and family. Applicants must be either doctoral candidates who have completed all their course work, post-doctoral scholars, or able to demonstrate that their research will be conducted under doctoral-level standards of scholarship. Amounts of award range from $500 to $3,000. Applications are due by January 1 with announcements of awards made by April 1.

BPW also sponsors the Sally Butler Memorial Fund for Latina Research on issues of importance to women. Applicants must be Latin American women. Academic standards and award criteria are the same as above.

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University of California, Berkeley
Center for the Study, Education and Advancement of Women
Room 112, Building T-9
Berkeley, California 94720
Interim Director: Joan Skolnick
415/642-4786

The Center provides affiliation to scholars engaged in research in areas of concern to women, particularly in an applied context. Affiliates have office space at the Center, serve as a resource for Center projects, and offer a research presentation on their work.

The Center also offers internships and other research opportunities primarily to UC Berkeley registered students.

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University of California, Davis
Women's Resources and Research Center
10 Lower Freeborn Hall
Davis, California 95616
Director: Lenora A. Timm
916/752-3372

The Women's Resources and Research Center offers small research grants to U.C.D. graduate students to help defray some research expenses on projects devoted to women and gender.

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University of California, Los Angeles
Center for the Study of Women
236A Kinsey Hall
Los Angeles, California 90064
Director: Karen E. Rowe
213/825-0590

The Center for the Study of Women offers five Research Associate positions to scholars working on issues of importance to women. The Research Associates will be provided with a university affiliation, office space, use of center resources, access to computers and limited secretarial help. These are nonremunerative positions. Candidates may hold a Ph.D. in any field with previously demonstrated scholarly activity in issues of concern to women.

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Center for Women Policy Studies
2000 P Street, N.W.
Suite 508
Washington, D.C. 20036
President: Jane R. Chapman
202/872-1770

The Center for Women Policy Studies sponsors a small number of internships during the school year and the summer. In addition, the Center hires researchers on a consultant basis for specific projects.

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University of Cincinnati
Center for Women's Studies
Research and Resources Institute
Rm 8 McMicken Hall
Mail Location 164
Cincinnati, Ohio 45221-0164
Coordinator: Patricia Carter
513/475-3392

The Center for Women's Studies offers a nonremunerative Visiting Scholar program and Mini-Grants in Women's Studies for scholars in the Cincinnati area:

(1) The Visiting Scholar appointment is intended to provide a university position and environment supporting the pursuit of research and professional growth for a women's studies scholar seeking academic or other employment. Faculty status, limited office space and library privileges are offered. Applicants must possess a Masters, a Ph.D. or equivalent degree, with preference given to Doctorates.

(2) The Mini-Grants are sponsored by Friends of Women's Studies at the University of Cincinnati. Awards ranging from $50 to $250 are offered to anyone who lives in the Cincinnati area and wishes to do a research project in women's studies. Priority will be given to projects whose final results can be shared with the Cincinnati area community in some form. There will be slight changes made in both of these programs during 1986-87.

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CUNY Graduate School and University Center
Center for the Study of Women and Society
33 West 42nd Street
New York, New York 10036
Director: Sue Rosenberg Zalk
212/790-4436

The Center for the Study of Women and Society offers nonremunerative positions for visiting scholars. Candidates are actively involved in feminist research in a wide variety of fields and wish an association with the Center. The Visiting Scholars are involved in all the programs of the Center and are generally requested to offer a talk on their research at an informal meeting. The Scholar will be given library privileges at the Graduate Center library, access to typing and xeroxing, and desk space if available.

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Cornell University
Institute for Women and Work
New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations
15 East 26th Street
New York, New York 10010
Director: Anne H. Nelson
212/340-2800

The Institute for Women and Work does not currently offer any funded positions, yet welcomes those seeking research opportunities on an unpaid basis.

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Equity Policy Center
4818 Drummond Avenue
Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815
Director: Irene Tinker
301/656-4475

The Equity Policy Center offers internships to graduate and undergraduate students attending American University in Washington, DC.

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Duke University - University of North Carolina
Women's Studies Research Center
207 East Duke Building
Durham, North Carolina 27708
Project Director: Christina Greene
Academic Director: William Chafe
919/684-6641

The Women's Studies Research Center offers fellowship programs with a stipend, a visiting scholar program, and internship opportunities. Contact the Project Director for more information.

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The Feminist Press
311 East 94th Street
New York, New York 10128
Co-Directors: Florence Howe and Maxine Mccants
212/360-5790

The Feminist Press sponsors a limited number of internships for college students during the summer months or the Fall and Spring semesters. Internships generally last from 6-8 weeks with a small stipend offered. To apply, contact Joan Hendrix.

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George Washington University
The Women's Studies Program and Policy Center
Stuart Hall, Room 203
Washington, D.C. 20052
Academic Coordinator: Phyllis Palmer
202/676-6942

The Women's Studies Program and Policy Center, in conjunction with The Women's Research and Education Institute of the Congressional Caucus for Women's Issues, offers an annual fellowship program that places graduate students in Congressional offices and on strategic committee staffs for one academic year. Before beginning their 30 hour per week assignment on the Hill, Congressional fellows complete a 3-credit course on women and public policy. They may receive up to 12 hours of credit for the legislative and academic research they perform. The stipend is approximately $9,000. Applications are due in late March with regional interviews held in April and awards made by May 1.

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Girls Clubs of America, Incorporated
National Resource Center
441 West Michigan Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46202
Executive Director: Margaret Gates
Senior Research Associate: Heather Johnston Nicholson
317/634-6866

The GCA National Resource Center performs action research on a number of topics related to meeting girls' needs in out-of-school settings. Current priorities are in adolescent pregnancy prevention, math/science/technology, and sports. From time to time these special projects include opportunities for researchers at the master's or doctoral level to be involved. The Center is glad to receive the credentials of interested social scientists to keep on file, pending specific opportunities.

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Higher Education Resource Services, West
University of Utah
Women's Resource Center
293 Olpin Union
Salt Lake City, Utah 84112
Director: Shauna M. Adix
801/581-3745

The Women's Resource Center offers three internships to women who are working on their Masters Degree in Social Work at the University of Utah. The assignment lasts for one year and provides Interns with valuable counseling experience.

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International Center for Research on Women
1717 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.
Suite 501
Washington, D.C. 20036
Director: Mayra Buvinic
202/797-0007

The International Center for Research on Women offers The Fellowship Program for Latin America and the Caribbean, designed to train promising professionals from those regions in the use of social science research for the development of effective policies and programs to increase the economic participation of poor women in developing countries. The program is structured to enable fellows to work on an individual research project in the field of women and development and participate in ongoing activities at IRCW. Candidates must be citizens of Latin America, the Caribbean, or Puerto Rico, who are working or studying in their region or in the United States. Applications will be accepted from individuals with formal backgrounds in the social sciences, economics, education, urban planning and public health. Deadline for application is November 1. The fellowship program will be continued with some changes during the 1986-87 academic year.

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The University of Michigan
Center for Continuing Education of Women
350 South Thayer Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109
Director: Vivian Rogers
313/764-6555

The Center for Continuing Education of Women, in cooperation with the Department of Psychology, offers a post-doctoral fellowship/sabbatical opportunity in Adult Development for Visiting Scholars. Candidates should have conceptual and empirical interests in issues of adult development, including those issues which touch upon the impact of differing educational or career constraints and opportunities, patterns of integration of career and family life, and other gender-relevant developmental patterns. It is expected that the Visiting Scholar will carry out an original research project, facilitate an informal seminar on adult development, and participate in selected CEW program-planning activities. The stipend for this position is $16,000 for 12 months. Applicants from any social science discipline who have completed the Ph.D. prior to September 1986, are encouraged to apply. Deadline for 1986-87 is March 1, 1986.

CEW also offers between 40-50 scholarships, ranging from $500 to $3,000, to women-undergraduate, graduate, and professional-whose education has at some time been interrupted for at least 24 consecutive months and who are pursuing with a clear educational goal, any academic or professional program, full or part-time, at any campus of the University of Michigan. Women in business, chemistry, engineering, mathematics and other less traditional fields are encouraged to apply. For 1985-86, applications are due January 10, 1986 with awards being announced on April 22, 1986.

University of Minnesota
Twin Cities
Center for Advanced Feminist Studies
492 Ford Hall
224 Church Street, SE
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55455
Director: Ruth-Ellen Joeres
612/373-3850

The Center for Advanced Feminist Studies offers a nonremunerative affiliated scholar program for both researchers and scholars of feminist issues with a terminal degree in hand. Affiliated scholars will be awarded a two year residency with library privileges, access to and consultation with the university feminist community, letterhead stationery, and participation in the Faculty Development Seminar. Candidates must be willing to assist in the administering of the affiliated scholars program. Deadline is May 1 of each year for the following Fall.

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National Association for Women Deans,
Administrators, and Counselors
1325 Eighteenth Street, NW
Suite 210
Washington, DC 20036
Executive Director: Patricia Reuckel
202/659-9330

NAWDAC sponsors the annual Ruth Strang Research Award of $500 to encourage continued excellence in research, particularly among individuals early in their careers. Competition for the award is open to all interested individuals. Emerging professionals are particularly encouraged to submit manuscripts. The deadline for submission is November 1. Manuscripts should be sent to: Chairperson, Ruth Strang Research Award Committee, Linda Forrest, Ph.D, Associate Professor, Counseling Center, Michigan State University, 207 Student Services, East Lansing, MI 48824-1113.

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State University of New York at Albany
Center for Women in Government
Draper Hall, Room 302
1400 Washington Avenue
Albany, New York 12222
Executive Director: Nancy Perlman
518/442-3900

The Center for Women in Government sponsors a fellowship on Women and Public Policy for graduate students in colleges or universities located in New York State. Fellows combine a 30-hour week placement in New York State legislative or administrative offices with 3 courses on the policy making process and women and public policy issues for which they receive 12 graduate credit hours. Each year, a $9,000 stipend is awarded for the

at the time of application and must have demonstrated interest in improving the status of women through their research, paid employment, or volunteer activities. Applications for the 1987 program are due June 14, 1986.

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University of Oregon
Center for the Study of Women in Society
Room 636, Prince Lucien Campbell Hall
College of Arts and Sciences
Eugene, Oregon 97403
Director: Joan Acker
503/686-3516 or 686-5015

The Center for the Study of Women in Society awards the Jane Grant Dissertation Fellowship on the subject of women in society and a Visiting Scholar Program for scholars working on issues of feminist theory:

(1) The Jane Grant Dissertation Fellowship is offered to doctoral students who have been advanced to candidacy for the Ph.D. at the University of Oregon. Candidates may submit proposals from within a broadly defined sociological perspective, including symbolic representation of gender and sexuality; women and social structure; and gender differentiation in developmental and life span perspectives. The amount of the award will be $7,000-$10,000 depending on need. Fellowship recipients will be asked to submit a written report and to make a public presentation of research results. The deadline for proposals is April 15 with final awards announced one month later.

(2) The Visiting Scholar program is for scholars in any discipline working on issues of feminist theory with a stipend of up to $25,000. The scholar is expected to reside in Eugene for the academic year, conduct research on a proposed topic, teach one upper-division seminar, and give two public lectures. The deadline for applications is February 15 with awards announced one month later.

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Pennsylvania State University
Center for Rural Women
College of Agriculture
201 Agricultural Administration Building
University Park, Pennsylvania 16802
Director: Eloise Murray
814/863-4364

The Center for Rural Women offers an award to Penn State faculty, staff, and graduate students to support professional activities relating to rural women and to identify potential sponsors for funding larger scale projects. The CRW awards program will provide a limited number of grants, with a maximum amount per grant of $1,500, for research and proposal development, outreach and training, and/or networking. The deadline for submission is December 15 and awards will be announced by February 1.

Project on Equal Education Rights
1413 K Street, NW
9th Floor
Washington, DC 20005
Director: Leslie R. Wolfe
202/332-7337

The Project on Equal Education Rights sponsors nonremunerative fellowships and internships at the Washington office. They offer participants a wide variety of experiences-from attending coalition meetings, such as the National Coalition for Women and Girls in Education and the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, to attending hearings on issues pertaining to education equity before Congressional subcommittees, to researching, writing, editing articles and papers as needed under the supervision of PEER's Director and/or other PEER staff. Interns are encouraged to share opinions during program brainstorming sessions as well as during weekly staff meetings. Since PEER has a small staff of six, interns are quickly integrated into the daily workplace.

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Radcliffe College
Mary Ingraham Bunting Institute
10 Garden Street
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138
Director: Elizabeth McKinsey
617/495-8212

The Mary Ingraham Bunting Institute provides fellowships and research opportunities to women scholars, scientists, visual and performing artists, musicians, and creative writers at the postdoctoral or equivalent professional stage to complete a substantial project in their field. Office or studio space, stipend, access to Radcliffe/Harvard facilities are provided. Fellows and Research Associates present their work-in-progress at public colloquia and attend a variety of seminars, conferences, and informal meetings sponsored by the Institute. Deadline for applications is October 15 of each year.

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Radcliffe College
The Henry A. Murray Research Center
77 Brattle Street
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138
Director: Anne Colby
617/495-8140

The Henry A. Murray Research Center offers small research grants and a nonremunerative Visiting Scholar program. The research grants are to be used to support social scientific and historical research drawing on the resources of the Murray Research Center and/or the Arthur and Elizabeth Schlesinger Library. The grants are for $1500 or less (up to $3000 may be allotted for research that involves extensive computer time for analysis of large data sets).

Visiting scholars come to the Henry A. Murray Center for either a semester or an academic year to do research on issues of concern to women. They receive office space and formal appointments. Appointments carry access to Harvard and Radcliffe facilities. Applications must be received by mid-February with decisions made in the Spring of the year prior to appointment. Priority is given to applicants whose projects draw on the Murray Center's data resources, although use of the resources is not required.

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Radcliffe College
The Arthur and Elizabeth Schlesinger Library
10 Garden Street
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138
Director: Patricia M. King
617/495-8647

The Arthur and Elizabeth Schlesinger Library, in cooperation with the Henry A. Murray Center at Radcliffe, provides small research grants of up to $3000 to support research in history, the social sciences, and humanities drawing on the resources of both institutions. Reference services and access to the library's published and unpublished holdings are also available to researchers who are not receiving support through Radcliffe College.

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Rutgers University
Eagleton Institute of Politics
Center for the American Woman and Politics
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903
Director: Ruth B. Mandel
201/932-9384

CAWP offers unpaid internships for graduate and undergraduate students during the academic year or summer. The Center also provides occasional opportunities for visiting scholars to share its resources and work with the CAWP staff.

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Rutgers University
Institute for Research on Women
Douglass College
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903
Director: Catharine R. Stimpson
201/932-9072 or 932-9073

The Institute for Research on Women at Rutgers offers fellowships with stipends as well as unpaid positions for visiting Research Associates. For 1986-1987 the Institute for Research on Women is offering two Humanist-in-Residence Fellowships. Sponsored by the Rockefeller Foundation, the Fellowships will permit junior or senior scholars to work on original book

Fellowships will permit junior or senior scholars to work on original book length manuscripts about significant questions in women's studies and the humanities at Rutgers-New Brunswick. Neither dissertations, nor textbooks, nor anthologies, nor collections of essays will be eligible. Research and writing will occupy 80-85 percent of a Fellow's time with other obligations, such as consultations with the Women's Studies Department, the state Department of Higher Education and participation in seminars and a public lecture, constituting the remainder of the time. Junior and senior scholars who have shown a genuine commitment to women's studies and the humanities are eligible. Applications are due on December 1 with appointment of fellows and alternates taking place on February 1 of the following year.

IRW also welcomes scholars from other universities both in the United States and abroad as Research Associates. Visitors have access to limited office space and other university facilities as well as opportunities to participate in IRW programs.

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University of Southern California
Program for the Study of Women and Men in Society
Taper Hall 331M
Los Angeles, California 90089-4352
Program Chair: Carol Nagy Jacklin
Research Committee Chair: Judith Stiehm
213/743-7722

The Program for the Study of Women and Men in Society sponsors a nonremunerative Affiliated Scholars Program in the field of gender studies. Scholars will be provided with an affiliation to SWMS, the opportunity for interaction with members of the departmental faculty, use of the Program's resources, along with university letterhead and library privileges. Scholars are asked to give one classroom lecture and participate in a program seminar.

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Stanford University
Center for Research on Women
Serra House, Serra Street
Stanford, California 94305
Acting Director: Judith C. Brown
415/497-1994

The Center for Research on Women provides nonremunerative fellowships for Affiliated and Visiting Scholars:

(1) Residents of the Bay Area who are not associated with educational institutions and are working on women-related subjects may apply to be Affiliated Scholars for two-year renewable terms. Affiliated Scholars will act as consultants on Center projects and participate in CROW activities.

(2) Faculty from other institutions and independent scholars in the United States and abroad may apply to be Visiting Scholars in residence for several months to a year. Visiting Scholars will be awarded office space, full University privileges, and access to the CROW community.

Wellesley College
Center for Research on Women
828 Washington Street
Wellesley, Massachusetts 02181
Director: Susan Bailey
617/431-1453

The Center for Research on Women, in collaboration with the Stone Center of Developmental Services and Studies, offers three one-year postdoctoral training fellowships on sex roles and mental health. The program provides training fellowships to Ph.D.'s in the psychological or social sciences, or those with other relevant doctorates. Training activities include involvement in an ongoing project at one of the two centers, the development of an independent project, and participation in a research seminar on sex roles and mental health along with other seminars. A $15,996-30,000 stipend is offered. Applications are due April 1, 1986 for a September 1986 position. For application materials, write to Kathie DeMarco, Training Program.

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University of Wisconsin, Madison
Women's Studies Program and Research Center
209 North Brooks Street
Madison, Wisconsin 53715
Acting Director: Suzanne Pingree
608/263-4703

The Women's Studies Research Center offers a nonremunerative Honorary Fellow Program that is intended for women studies researchers and scholars who do not have a university affiliation of any kind. The Honorary fellows will have the benefit of a university relationship and access to some university facilities, such as office space, library privileges, stationery, and limited secretarial help . Appointed fellows will be active researchers and scholars selected for a one year term, subject to review and renewal at the end of their term. It is expected that each honorary fellow will present one colloquium and spend some time working at the Center. Deadline for submission is April 1.

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The Women's Research and Education Institute
Congressional Caucus for Women's Issues
204 Fourth Street, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20003
Executive Director: Betty Parsons Dooley
202/546-1010

The Women's Research and Education Institute, in conjunction with the George Washington University Women's Studies Program and Policy Center, offers an annual fellowship program that places graduate students in Congressional offices and on strategic committee staffs for one academic year. Before beginning their assignments on the Hill for 30 hours per week, Congressional fellows complete a 3-credit course on women and public policy. They may receive up to 12 hours of credit for the legislative and academic research they perform. The stipend is approximately $9,000 and applications are due in late March with regional interviews held in April and awards made by May 1. For applications and additional information contact: China Jessup, Project Liaison at WREI, or Phyliss Palmer, Academic Coordinator, Women's Studies Program and Policy Center, George Washington University, Washington, DC 20052.

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